

A RESOLUTION

BY PUBLIC SAFETY & LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

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**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE
SETTLEMENT OF THE CLAIM OF PATRICIA
JONES-YOUNG AND MICHAEL M. YOUNG
IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,043.94 AGAINST THE
CITY OF ATLANTA**

WHEREAS, PATRICIA JONES-YOUNG and MICHAEL M. YOUNG, have filed a claim against the City of Atlanta seeking damages to their vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the damage to PATRICIA JONES-YOUNG and MICHAEL M. YOUNG'S vehicle occurred when it was driven over a metal plate that was not properly secured to the roadway; and

WHEREAS, the construction and maintenance of public roads is a ministerial function and therefore this claim is not subject to a defense of sovereign immunity under the laws of the State of Georgia; and;

WHEREAS, the claimants have asserted damages in the amount of \$3,043.94 and have agreed to accept this sum in full and complete satisfaction and settlement of their claim against the City of Atlanta; and

WHEREAS, the City Attorney has recommended that the claim of PATRICIA JONES-YOUNG and MICHAEL M. YOUNG, be settled for the sum of \$3,043.94.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Atlanta, Georgia that \$3,043.94 be paid by the City of Atlanta to PATRICIA JONES-YOUNG and MICHAEL M. YOUNG, in satisfaction of any and all claims they may have stemming from damages sustained to their vehicle on or about November 22, 2000, at Pryor Street, SW & Mitchell Street, SW and that the City Attorney prepare appropriate releases.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby authorized to pay the above mentioned sum from account number 2J01/529017/T31001.